## **Daniel A. Payne Elementary**

Principal Name: Vielka Scott

Address: 305 15<sup>th</sup> Street, SE, Washington DC, 20003

**Phone:** 202-698-3262

**Grades:** Pre-school – 5<sup>th</sup> **2008-2009 Enrollment:** 220

Nearest metro/bus lines: Metro: Potomac Avenue (Orange/Blue Line). Bus: 36

and M6.

## **Before/After Care programs:**

DCPS Out of School Time program (afterschool) & Department of Parks and Recreation (before & after care)

## Partnerships:

Safeway, Baker & McKenzie, LLC, Neighbor's United, The Arthur Ashe Tennis Foundation, Friends of Payne, Mt. Moriah Church, Trinity AME Church, Department of Parks and Recreation, The Washington Literacy Council, DARE Dance, International Hip-Hop for Education Organization

**Program/Thematic focus:** Applicant for the DC Catalyst World Cultures Project **Special Academic Programs/Courses Offered:** International Hip-Hop for

Education, Power Hour (afterschool tutorial)

Special subjects offered: Music, PE, Art

Number of full-time staff: 36 Number of full-time teachers: 13 Percent of teachers certified: 100% Percent with Masters degrees: N/A

Wellness staff: full-time Social Worker, half-time Psychologist, and half-time

Department of Mental Health Social Worker

**Facility Amenities:** Computer lab under design. Multi-purpose room used for basketball games. Tot lot and elementary playground. Tennis courts on the playground.

**Sports/Teams/Clubs:** Basketball, soccer, track and field, tennis (3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade). Spring baseball may also be offered.

Made AYP last year: No

Proficient % Reading: 29.73% Proficient % Math: 21.62%

## **Daniel A. Payne Elementary**

**PTA/Parent Organization:** Payne Parent Partnership (PPP)

Uniform: Yes School colors: Navy Blue & White

School that Payne feeds into: Eliot-Hine Middle School

**Vision:** To create a learning environment that cultivates young minds through high quality teaching strategies that will enable students to become productive members of society. Every student can, should and will learn through high quality teaching strategies.

**Mission:** In partnership with parents, community and a team of highly qualified teachers, it is the mission of Payne ES to provide each student with rigorous standards-based diverse instruction in a safe, supportive environment that builds self-esteem and promotes self-discipline, motivation and excellence in learning.